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In response to the Office Action dated Jan. 11, 2005:

- *In the Claims:* please amend claims 1 and 18 as presented beginning on page 2 hereof.

Claims 1-3, 5-9 and 12-21 remain pending and under examination in the application.